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- 1 A Correct.
- **2** Q You never watched a surgery. Correct?
- 3 A Correct.
- 4 Q You'd never seen any removal of mesh from
- **5** Prolift?
- **6** A Correct.
- 7 Q You had never attended any professional
- 8 education courses sponsored by Ethicon with respect to
- 9 Prolift?
- **10** A Correct.
- 11 Q You'd never attended any professional
- 12 education courses sponsored by any other manufacturer
- 13 on a mesh kit, had you?
- 14 A Correct.
- 15 Q You had never spoken with anyone at
- 16 Ethicon?
- 17 A Correct.
- 18 Q Never spoken with anyone that was involved
- 19 in the transvaginal mesh group?
- 20 A Correct.
- 21 Q You had never reviewed any of the product
- 22 literature with respect to Prolift?
- 23 A The medical literature?
- **24** Q The product literature?
- **25** A The product, the product labeling.
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- 1 Q The instructions for use?
- **2** A Okay. The product labeling. No, I had not.
- 3 Q Never reviewed the patient brochure?
- 4 A No.
- 5 Q In terms of your experience with medical
- 6 devices, you've never been involved in the design of a
- 7 medical device, have you?
- 8 A No, I have not.
- **9** Q You've never been involved in the
- 10 development of what it takes to design a medical
- 11 device, have you?
- 12 A No, I have not.
- 13 Q You've never been involved in any clinical
- 14 trial to evaluate the safety or efficacy of a medical
- **15** device prior to marketing, have you?
- **16** A No.
- 17 Q You have never personally performed a
- 18 device design safety assessment, have you?
- **19** A No.
- 20 Q You've never performed a failure mode
- 21 evaluation and efficacy analysis on a prospective new
- 22 device, have you?
- 23 A No, I have not.
- 24 Q You have never evaluated whether or not
- 25 certain steps needed to be taken to comply with

- 1 governmental regulations, have you?
- 2 A Not for a medical device manufacturer. I have
- **3** for drug evaluations.
- 4 Q You've never been involved in the
- 5 preparation of a 510(k) application for a medical
- 6 device, have you?
- 7 A No.

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- Q You have never been involved in the
- 9 determination of what's required under FDA guidances
- 10 for medical devices, have you?
- **11** A No, I have not.
- 12 Q In fact, before being involved in this
- 13 lawsuit, you'd never read the FDA regulations with
- **14** respect to medical devices, had you?
- 15 A No, I had not.
- 16 Q If we go back, I asked you about Prolift
- 17 and whether or not you'd ever observed a Prolift
- **18** surgery.
- 19 Have you ever participated in any cadaver
- 20 research with respect to a mesh kit?
- **21** A No.
- 22 Q By that, I mean you've never participated,
- 23 for example, in a lab where you practiced insertion of
- 24 devices for pelvic floor repair surgery involving mesh
- 25 with cadavers?

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- 1 A Correct.
- 2 Q If we turn to polypropylene mesh, prior to
- 3 becoming involved in this lawsuit, you'd never been
- 4 engaged in any research or study with respect to the
- 5 characteristics of polypropylene mesh for use in pelvic
- 6 floor repair surgery, had you?
- 7 A The research was not primarily my own. Dr. Pam
- 8 Moalli, M-O-A-L-L-I, at the University of Pittsburgh is
- 9 very closely involved in performing research on the
- 10 characteristics of surgical meshes, including meshes
- 11 used in Prolift, for example. So our fellows were also
- 12 involved in that research. And I participated to the
- 13 extent that I was guiding and supervising the fellows
- 14 in the performance of their research with Dr. Moalli.
- Q You did not participate in that research,did you?
- **17** A Just as a look-see, not as a co-investigator.
- 18 Q You've never been involved in doing any
- 19 biomechanical studies on polypropylene mesh, for
- 20 example, have you?
- 21 A No, I have not.
- **22** Q You've never been involved in doing any
- 23 animal or toxicology studies with respect to
- 24 polypropylene mesh, have you?
- 25 A Again, with the exception of the work with Dr.